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OBSERVER VS. STAR.

The *News-Observer* has committed a very great error in its personal attack on Mr. T. B. Kingsbury, as any editor in North Carolina can inform it. If the *Star* has done the *News-Observer* an injustice, the *Star* should have received the *News-Observer's* notice, and not Mr. Kingsbury. In the personal attack made on a private citizen, whose name does not appear in the *Star* as its editor, the *News-Observer* loses the sympathy of its friends. We believe in the Code, and we believe that if the *News-Observer* had used the language about the *Star* instead of singling out Mr. Kingsbury, the editor of the *News-Observer* would have been held to an account for its language.

HOLDEN TO NEWS & OBSERVER.

"I take this method of stating that I am no longer a member of the Republican party, neither do I belong to the Liberal Republican party, I may give my reasons hereafter for this course. W. W. HOLDEN.

RALEIGH, August 1, 1883.

We will save the poor old man with his sixty thousand registered United States bonds the trouble of giving his reasons for we can do it for him. 1st reason, he has milked the Republican cow dry so far as he is concerned. 2nd, the Republican party made him Governor and he ruined and disgraced it for that time. 3d, W. W. Holden wants a pardon and he believes the Democratic party (on account of its gerrymander) will control the legislature for some time to come, and he has joined that party to get it.

The Republican Liberal party of North Carolina is to be congratulated *on this* happy ridance; now if Kirk and Burgen will follow the infamous Holden, we will all throw up our hats with great joy. We thank God that W. W. Holden has gone; he has been traitor to his party for the past twelve years, and he has been a traitor to his state for twenty-three years; he has never belonged to anything he didn't betray and ruin, and he is the last hair that it takes to break the Democratic camels back.

MR. GORHAM TRADUCED.

In an editorial squib of the 14th inst. the *Star*, which would seem to have had enough to engage it elsewhere at that time, endeavors to be severe and droll after a very lame and impotent fashion, at the expense of the distinguished Editor of the Washington *Republican*. Pretendedly recalling but vaguely, a memorial oration delivered here by Mr. Gorham on the 30th of May last, inculcating "mighty fraternal doctrine," a single paragraph of which contained, in our humble judgment, more electric force of truly eloquent utterance, and solid embodiment of pithy and pregnant thought than a volume of the vapid second-hand commonplaces of the *Star*, the would-be wit reproduces the following from a late New York *Herald*: "Mr. Geo. C. Gorham, *stalwart*, says that the South is no more in the Union than Japan is, and that all that the Union has done for her is to have given her a mail service." "George won't do," comments the *Star*, and so says we, if the foregoing is true, but if addicted to that form of argument so popular among Democratic editors who are thoroughly sure of the pacific character of their adversaries, we should add that we doubt not this is an infamous lie, as foul as the imaginations of its indorders. When Mr. Gorham was in our city on the interesting occasion above referred to, it was our honor and pleasure to enjoy no little of his companionship and discourse alike in public and in private. Frankly and freely he imparted to all—as highly respectable Democratic gentlemen, who enjoyed an excursion with him, ought to testify—his sentiments on the political and economical past and present of our country, and if any honest political opponent will venture to say that he did not approve himself a candid, generous, forgiving, broad-minded statesmen, we shall be greatly disappointed. No man of Northern birth and rearing have we ever seen with a kinder appreciation of the growth and prevalence of diverse sentiments in another section, or more magnanimously willing to let the dead past bury its dead. Mr. Gorham, so far from being a stalwart, we *know* to be an advanced Liberal as the term is here understood, and will be found intolerant of nothing but Democratic or Republican bourbonism. Perhaps his greatest fault with some of the New York dailies is the constantly growing prosperity and influence of the *National Republican*.

The *World* of New York under its new management is one of the liviest and best newspapers in that great city, the present owner seems to understand this business and he attends properly to it. New York has many splendid papers, but the *World* is the best for its enterprise in getting up the news of the day. It was like taking an old dray horse and making the finest racer, but the new proprietor accomplished it.

Col. F. M. Sorrell has accepted a position in the Revenue Service in this District. The Col. has a host of friends throughout the state.—*Winston Republican.*

You are right brother Gaslin, there is no better fellow in all these states than Sorrell, but you are mistaken in calling him Col., he likes the title of Doctor, and again people won't know who you are talking about unless you call him "Doc."

City Items.

The excursion season is drawing to a close.

See the call for a colored State Convention on fourth page.

J. W. Monk's famous trotting horse Shamrock died last week.

The interior of Fifth Street Methodist church is being improved.

Messrs. John Dyer & Son are to have an addition of 22 feet to the length of their store.

Mr. J. H. Strauss' store, recently injured by fire, is being thoroughly repaired.

Rev. A. W. Sanders, of Cheraw, S. C., preached at the First Baptist church on Sunday.

The Washington excursionists got back last Friday at 12 o'clock. They had a good time.

And still the cows, hogs and goats run at large in the streets and depredate upon people's gardens.

Mr. Fred. Poisson, who has been on a visit to Europe, returned last week on the British barque Geo. Davis.

Rev. Thos. M. Ambler, of St. Paul's Episcopal church, has returned home from his summer vacation.

Where is the proposed $150,000 hotel to be located? Talk is cheap, and big enterprises on paper are numerous.

Horses and mules run at large over the railroad and frighten children. Several of them have had narrow escapes

Mr. Wm. Kinyon, formerly of this city, but now of Atlanta, who has been on a visit here, left for his home Saturday night.

Mr. F. M. Fremont goes to Savannah, Ga., where he has accepted a position in a large lumber manufacturing establishment.

The third annual fair of the Rocky Mount Agricultural Association will come off on the 23d, 24th, 25th and 26th of October.

The building of the "short line" from Wilmington to Florence is only a question of time, and of very short time at that.

General Manning, New Hanover's Sheriff, was at last accounts en route from the watering places to his old home in Maine.

We have received a complimentary pass to the Agricultural Fair to come off at Rocky Mount on 23, 24, 25 and 26th of October next.

John Hill, the young colored man who was stabbed so badly in the head a week or two ago by one George Carey, has nearly recovered.

We hear of very disorderly proceedings at a house of ill-fame on McRae, between Chestnut and Mulberry streets. The inmates should be looked after.

There were four interments in Wilmington during the week ending on Saturday last, of which three were in Oakdale Cemetery and one in Pine Forest.

Mr. Wilkin Rodick, who is suffering from liver disease, and who has been under treatment at the North for some months past, is said to be improving.

Mr. Lyman B. May, successor to Mr. R. C. Taylor, as Superintendent of the National Cemetery, arrived Saturday night and took charge Monday morning.

Mr. Wm. Easdale, formerly in the office of the Superintendent of the C. C. Railroad in this city, takes a position in the office of the General Manager, Maj. J. C. Winder, at Raleigh.

Two colored boys got into a fight at Wadesboro last week, when one seized a chisel and struck his antagonist on the throat, inflicting a fatal blow. The murderer is in jail at Rockingham.

A musical club for Wilmington is now agitating the amateurs of this city. With the talents it can boast it ought to have a first-class institution of the kind. Let the right sort of men take hold of the project and it will succeed.

Mattie Williams and Violet Henry, two colored damsels, got into a fight on Mulberry street a few days ago, when the former was badly battered and bloodied by a brick thrown by the latter. They were arrested and tried for an affray.

The veteran editor, W. J. Yates, writes to the *Home and Democrat* of that place that "From Long Branch to Savannah, along the Atlantic coast, there is no superior location as a seaside resort than Smithville, N. C., 30 miles below Wilmington."

The Washington excursionist met with several former Wilmingtonians who are now resident at the Capitol, among which were Dr. J. E. Winants, Capt. Woodford, H. A. Springer, George Arnold and W. K. Price. They all have a lingering fondness for their old home in the tar heel state.

The Front Street Methodist church has just undergone extensive improvements, almost the entire interior of the building having been remodelled and beautified, until it scarcely looks like the same house of worship. It is also to be supplied with a fine pipe organ; altogether the cost will be about $3,000. There is also some talk of making some outside improvements.

Several colored boys of small size were playing at Hilton ferry on Sunday afternoon last, when three of them accidentally slipped overboard off a log. One of them, named John Johnson, said to be the son of the notorious Tom Johnson, so well known here some three or four years ago, was drowned, but the other two succeeded in saving themselves. Deceased was about six or seven years of age.

A Picture by a Colored Artist.

Jos. C. Hill, of this city, a well-known colored man of intelligence and standing, has just completed a drop curtain painting for St. Maria's Hall, in the Giblem Lodge building, which is said to be very creditable indeed, and shows that the artist is equal to many who have acquired a reputation in the business. It represents an Italian sunset in a bay contiguous to Mt. Vesuvius, which, in a state of partial eruption, stands to the right in the picture. On the left is a castle of Italian granite, built in the Corinthian style. In the background a village and mountain are seen, while the bay is dotted with gondolas. In the foreground are seen, near the foot of a mountain, the ruins of an ancient city. The border to the picture is also very handsome. The curtain will be an attractive feature in St. Maria's Hall.

Scows for the Government.

Mr. Geo. M. Summernell has received the contract for constructing a number of scows for the government, to be used in connection with the river improvements. They will be built at the mill yard of Mr. J. W. Taylor, and are to be ready in forty-five days. One is to be 80 feet long and 28 feet wide, and four 60 feet long, 16 feet wide and 4 feet deep.

Colored Business Men.

The great success that has attended Warran C. Coleman of Concord, shows that a colored man can succeed in the south by close attention to his business, promptness in all of his transactions and by using economy. He has made quite a fortune by his industry and good judgment in the wholesale and retail business, and people in his section cannot do better than by giving him all of their trade; he buys closely and consequently is able to sell low.

Badly Hurt.

A young colored man named Robert Nash, who was hauling timber at Capt. Reiger's place, in Brunswick county, on Saturday last, fell off his wagon while in motion and one of the wheels passed over his right thigh, crushing it badly. He was brought to this city and sent to the City Hospital.

Col. A. Pope.

We see from the Richmond *State*, Col. Pope is about to be again promoted and made the General Supervisor of the Passenger Department of the new Danville and great Western Combination. There is no doubt but what Col. Pope will fill any place he is honored with to the entire satisfaction of his employers.

New Furniture.

Thos. C. Craft's furniture store just opened on Front street, is complete with the best assortment of house furniture purchased in the northern market. See ad in another column.

The *North American Review* for September is a [illegible] number, [illegible] the times-liness and [illegible] presented, or [illegible] of the authors [illegible] sion. First comes [illegible] of Corporate Profits," by Chief Justice T. M. Cooley, of Michigan, showing how far, by wise legislation and by applying in the spirit of [illegible] jurisprudence the principles of the common law, the horrors and [illegible] of corporate companies and monopolies in general may be restrained, and the interests of the people effectually conserved. John A. Kasson, M. C., writes on "Municipal Reform," and offers suggestions for the abatement of the evils of mis-government in our great municipalities that will command the earnest interest of all good citizens without respect to party. Richard Grant White treats of "Class Distinctions in the United States," a subject that is destined to occupy more and more the attention of the American people as great fortunes increase. "Shooting at Sight" is the subject of some pertinent reflections by James Jackson, Chief-Justice of the state of Georgia. In "Facts about the Caucus and the Primary," George Walton Green unveils the tricks practiced by political managers in large cities. The well-known English essayist, W. H. Mallock, contributes "Conversations with a Solitary," in which he sets forth with much ingenuity the arguments adverse to popular government. The Rev. Dr. D. S. Phelan contributes an article sparkling with epigrams, on the "Limitations of Freethinking." Finally, Grant Allen, the most charming of all living writers on natural history, discourses on "An American Wild Flower," Published at 30 Lafayette Place, New York, and for sale by booksellers generally.

The Fruit Growers' Fair.

The second annual fair of the Fruit Growers' Association of the State was held in this city on Wednesday and Thursday, and proved to be a very decided success, so far as the exhibition was concerned. The attendance from abroad was not very large. A number of the western counties were represented by very fine exhibits of fruits of every description. Messrs J M Linerley, of Guilford, M T Hughes, of Guilford, Lineback Bros, of Salem, J S Ragsdale & Bro, of Guilford, Wm Murdock, of Rowan, Geo [K Foust, of Alamance, A W Craft, of Yadkin, Hall Bros, of Hickory, A C Hege, of Davidson, and E D Pearsall, of Duplin, were the principal exhibitors from abroad. From this and the immediate surrounding counties Messrs. S W Nobles, R P Paddison, W A Cummings, C W McClammy, W A Hand and Mrs S P Hand were the most prominent exhibitors of fruit, while E J Moore & Co, and Mrs Warren had fine displays of home-made candies, Meadows & Kidder, of tobacco, Brunhild Bros, of home-made cigars, liquors and cordials, J W Taylor, of fruit, and tobacco boxes, brackets, balusters, etc., W G Russ showed how to make fruit cans, turning out two a minute. Mayor Hall delivered the address of welcome. Wednesday night there was a grand ball and a pyrotechnic display.

Rev. Dr. Pritchard has accepted the call to the First Baptist church of this city, and will take charge on the 1st of November.

Patrick Flynn, an old employee of the city, died Wednesday.

There will be a rowing race and a yacht race at Wrightsville [round today.

Two sailors had a bloody fight on the hill near the Wilmington Compress wharf one day last week. One of the tars was beaten until he was helpless. No arrests.

Judge Van Amringe returned from his trip to New York and the watering places last Friday. He was accompanied by his little daughter, both of whom had a good time.

Mr. F. A. Newbury is building a store on Mulberry, between Front and Water, south side. It is to be two stories high and used as a wholesale grocery store.

A little boy was picked up in the suburbs of the city on Monday last in a badly bruised and battered condition. He stated that he had been unmercifully beaten by his parents.

For other locals see fourth page.

Death Distanced.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., Aug. 4, 1881.

H. H. WARNER & Co.: *Sirs*—I should have been in my grave to day had it not been for your Safe Kidney and Liver Cure. MRS. BURGESS.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Bids

WILL BE RECEIVED FOR OPENING CHESNUT STREET DOCK, until 12 o'clock M., on Monday, September 3d. Specifications can be seen at my Office.

E. D. HALL, Mayor.

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Contractors.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED until 4 o'clock P. M., Tuesday, August, 28th, for building a New Ward and Mortuary, and for repairing the roof of main building at City Hospital. Plans and specifications can be seen at Col. Jno. D. Taylor's office, City Hall, where Proposals will be left. Parties bidding will make separate estimate upon each building.

The Board of Managers reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

ROGER MOORE, W. H. CHADBOURN, Committee

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Wilmington, Wrightsville and Onslow Railroad.

A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS of the W., W. & A. R. R. will be held in the city of Wilmington on Wednesday, September 5th, 1883, at 12 o'clock, at the office of the General Superintendent, as important business will be transacted, a prompt and full attendance is requested.

GEO. W. PRICE, Jr., Vice President.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SALE OF VALUABLE LANDS IN BRUNSWICK COUNTY UNDER DECREE OF FORECLOSURE.

BY virtue of a decree of the Supreme Court of Brunswick County, made at the Spring Term A. D. 1883, of said Court, in a certain civil action therein pending, wherein Martha A. Potter was Plaintiff and Martha Ann Jacobs et. al. were Defendants, the undersigned, Referee and Commissioner appointed by said decree, will on Monday the day of September A. D. 1883, at 12 M. at the Court House Door in the Town of Smithville, in the said County of Brunswick, sell by public auction, for cash, the several tracts of land ordered to be sold in and by said decree, which said tracts of land are situated on Hoods Creek, in North West Township in said County, and are bounded and described as follows; Beginning at a Black Gum on the edge of Hoods Creek running thence north 80 deg. east 20 chains to a stake in an old field, the original corner of a 640 acre survey granted to Ephram Vernon, lying on both sides of Creek and running thence north 78 deg. east 48 chains and fifty links to a pine, thence due north 10 chains to a stake, thence north 40 deg. and 25 chains and 50 links to a pine, thence north 70 deg. west 7 chains and fifty links to a stake in the line of the original survey, thence north 20 deg. east 12 chains, crossing the W. C. & A. R. R., to a dead pine stump, original corner of said survey, thence north 60 deg. west 63 chains to a stake, in the edge of Hoods Creek, now a water oak, thence with the meanders of the same to the beginning—containing 601 acres more or less.

Also another tract—containing 400 acres more or less, bounded on the west by the tract of land just above described, on the east and south by the lands now or formerly owned by Thomas J. Armstrong, and on the north by the Wilmington, Columbia and Augusta Railroad.

MARSDEN BELLAMY, Referee-Commissioner.

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,

COUNTY OF NEW HANOVER—PROBATE COURT.

Rebecca Ann Hobbs and husband, F. B. Hobbs and Andrew J. Deal, vs. John E. Wood, Everette T. Wood, Sophia M. Bloxom and husband, Samuel Bloxom, Eli H. Davis and John B. Wilson.

THIS is an action to vacate, annul and set aside the will of the late Jackson Wood and to vacate, annul and set aside the Probate of said will, and for the appointment of a Receiver and other relief and it appearing to my satisfaction that the Defendant John E. Wood, is a non resident of this State, and cannot after due diligence be found in this State, and that he has or claims an interest as a Devisee under said will on real estate in this State, that the Court has jurisdiction of this action. Now this is to command said Defendant to appear at the Office of the undersigned in the Court House in Wilmington on Friday the 21st day of September, A. D. 1883, and answer or demur to the complaint which is now on file, or judgment will be rendered against him according to the prayer of the complaint.

S. CAMERON, Clerk of the Superior Court.

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WILMINGTON, N. C.

FRIDAY MORNING, AUGUST 24, 1883

THE STAR AND THE NEWS-OBSERVER.

With "liar and scoundrel" floating in the air, and pistols and coffee in menacing, *if* dim, contingent perspective, we desire to speak cautiously, accurately, and above all things respectfully and inoffensively, but with all these discouraging and nerve-disquieting deterrents, we cannot forbear to deliver ourselves of a passing word on the *striking* (?) and instructive attitude of the two leading exponents of North Carolina democracy. *Some* how—and as the way how seems to be the great *casus belli*, we shall studiously endeavor not to know how—a question of party fealty has arisen between these political champions. If we were living on the safe side of the St. Lawrence river, we should say that their differences in view and sentiment, when ultimately defined, are of Pickwickian airiness and subtilety. The *News-Observer* manfully starts out with the ancient bourbon doctrine that the king can do no wrong; that whatever the infallible Democratic church, at its Nicene conventions, declares for its creeds, ought thoroughly to be received, believed and established, for the entirely sufficient reason that it *has* been so declared. The Editor of the *Star*, after very considerable beating about the bush, and some very lofty and patriotic *vaporing* (as it finally turns out) settles down to about the same thing in practice. The *Star* would be glad to stop with supporting such *men* as its party may nominate, be they saints or devils, but the papal inquisitor will not let it off there. "Will you support such" [that is, *any*] "platform as the party may frame?" The poor *Star* would fain be excused from answering, and "roars you out," as fiercely plaintive, its heroic nothings, with as lamblike a valor as Cranmer himself would have shown in a like situation. But no! With a further outrage of metaphor, peculiarly unkind and repulsive to the sensitive scholarship subjected to the infliction, the *Star* must endure the rhetorical martyrdom of *girding up its loins* like a man, and responding in simple "yes" or "no" to its relentless interrogator. So, in a manlike way, to the extent of truthfulness, it has to come out and say that "without surrendering any conviction," it would "merely waive the discussion during the campaign." In other words, "without surrendering its convictions," if denounced, traduced and imperilled by the Democracy, it will, in the hour of their deadly stress and need, stand by and see them stabbed down and stamped out, "*waiving* during the campaign" that succor which then or never can, preserve and perpetuate them. Alas, friends of the *Star* we do sorely fear that the spirit is willing, but the flesh not so strong. You do seem to have aspirations for what is brave and just, but the influence of old associations you have not been able to overcome, and in the hour of test and trial you recant the best that is in you. "*Quod solum excusat, hoc solum mirror in illo*" would be the sad exclamation of an ancient friend of your editor-in-chief. One so deeply versed in *Hudibrastian* lore should not forget the grand old ingrammaticism of a nobler poet: "I never did repent of doing good, nor shall not now." But let us turn now and examine into the candor of this rigorous censor which cannot endure the shadow of evasion or unfairness in the *Star*. One of the heaviest sins of that paper, according to the *News-Observer*, is its efforts to make the people believe that the state platform of the Democratic party advocates the taking the tax off liquor or tobacco. Well, is not the editor of the Raleigh organ an able and recognized exponent of the principles and doctrines of his party? And did we not have to expose his mad and hopeless jumble of words and ideas, a few weeks ago, when his paper undertook to class "the old woman's snuff and the old man's pipe and plug tobacco" as "creature comforts" and "necessities," and shoes, white cotton goods and sugar" as articles not "necessary," and only to be termed such by "vain dabblers in words? We are slow to believe that a writer of so much intelligence would have supported such a position, unless he had felt himself inexorably nailed and fastened to it by the teachings of a platform which he holds himself bound to defend and believe in, right or wrong, in mind, heart and deed.

Contemplate then, the position of the leading bourbon organs of the state debating a point of party fealty by the test of unquestioning obedience to party behest, one willing to engage at the outset to do whatever may be ordered, and deprecating the intervening discussion of coming topics of adjustment, for fear of uttering what may have to be recanted; the other, not afraid to treat conditionally whatever may arise for consideration, but ready to "waive" all further argument when it finds itself opposed to the infallible platform of its party. When we find such a state of affairs as this existing, who can wonder that such an organization can find no better nor other bond of union than the cry, "Turn out the Rascals?" Why they have been reduced to-day, from a creed of "principles" as long as the moral law, to this one war-cry, by interminable concessions to the things *declared and settled* by us. No wonder they are used to silent acceptance. The history of the two great national parties, is that of one progressive, fearless and conquering in the might of the people's love; and of another sullen, obstructive and fractious, but ever retreating before the march of improvement, "ratifying" one year what they called our certain ruin the year previous, and ready to concede *anything* if only *once*—oh, for just *one* blessed hour—they could hold the reins of government. Poor fellows! we feel almost like indulging them for that short while, but we cannot forget what disasters befell when the giddy and incapable Phæton drove out for a day the fire-hoofed horses of the sun.

A BRIGHTENING OUTLOOK!

A few months ago and the prospects in favor of the final prevalence of Republican doctrines throughout this country were certainly not as cheering as they are to-day. The last election in the State of Virginia, whatever its real teachings to the wise, had resulted in despondency throughout our rank and file, with correspondent exultation and vigor among our adversaries. A rebuke to Gen. Mahone and his policy was conceded by many whose opinions had won popular respect. In Ohio the Democrats had inaugurated a vigorous campaign, flushed by and with the prestige of recent success, and animated by the assistance which they expected to derive from the Dorsey scandals against Ohio's and the Nation's leading statesmen, manipulated and endorsed by leading papers of the country. Indiana boasted herself so fixedly Democratic as to claim almost unchallenged a leading place on the presidential ticket, while in North Carolina the feuds among Liberals and "Straight Out" Republicans appeared to be of incurable inveteracy. But lo! what a change is suddenly and almost miraculously brought about, as if Providence itself had deigned to view the mutations of political life as worthy its beneficent and omnipotent visitation! In Virginia the maddening desire for power overcomes every consideration of honor or consistency, and the desperate bourbons in casting their last die for plunder and place and adopting as their own the objects of all their former execration and opposition, forfeit that claim for deluded honesty at least which shortly ago seemed to yield some prospect of retrieving their imperilled fortunes. In Ohio it transpires that Judge Hoadley's nomination is purchased for so much in dollars and cents, with the probability of being rendered profitable in the manner commonly incident to such nominations; that Judge Thurman, General Ward and the other honest and really great men of his party can barely be induced to yield him their tacit support; that Foraker is master of the situation on the tariff and the exponent of views overwhelmingly acceptable with the voters.

In arrogant Indiana matters have so altered that her presidential *Oliver Twistism* is sternly rebuked in advance, while in North Carolina, the happy agreement between Wheeler and Everett illustrates how beautiful and pleasant we are finding it for brethren to dwell together in unity. A glorious change, truly!

A DILEMMA.

Says the Louisville *Courier-Journal*, certainly representing a large proportion of the thought and patriotism of the Democratic party:

"The election of Mr. Randall to the Speakership means the dissolution and the ultimate extinction of that party. In order to elect him, it has to reverse its entire policy and put its foot on its course in the last Congress, approve the Keifer and Robeson combination as to the Ways and Means Committee, and take its counsels right out of the hands of the Republicans."

In copying the above with approval, the Wilmington *Star* is, no doubt, advancing the views and sentiments of a large number of those of its friends who have any views and sentiments of their own. That the self-respect and financial policy of Southern Democrats are forever sacrificed and compromised in the nomination of Randall is too obvious for discussion among candid minds, but what are self-respect and consistency with men who have resolved all their "principles" into the one war-slogan of "turn out the rascals?" What appeals can honesty and *the truths* of political economy make to men who have, so recently and conspicuously as in the late Virginia manifesto of democracy, shown themselves willing to accept and zealously promote, *on the one vital condition of their being allowed to apportion the public plunder*, those very men and their fiscal policy which *a few months before made readjustment* an abomination in the sight of every genuine bourbon of the Old Dominion? Oh, judgment thou art flown to brutish beasts—or, at least, deserted thy professed masters of old!

Alexander H. Stephen's homestead, Liberty Hall, is for sale for $10,000.

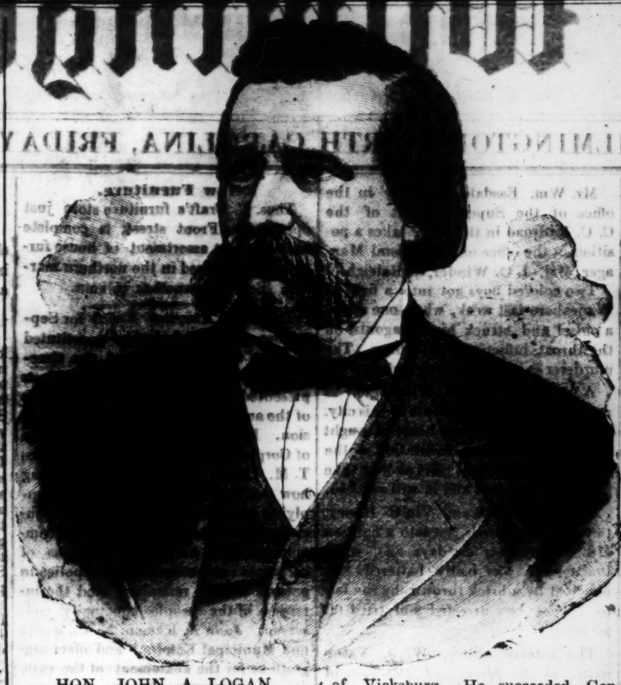
CAMPAIGN CORD WOOD NO. 1.

--DANGER TO POOR WHITES OF DISSENSIONS AMONG COLORED VOTERS.

Did it ever occur to the poor white men of our state that in giving encouragement to the so-called independent movement among the colored voters, and advancing their political disintegration, they are doing what is vulgarly termed, breaking a stick to crack their own heads? To have their will by coercion and conquest, rather than by solicitation and condescending efforts to conciliate popular feeling, is thoroughly in accordance with the arrogant and despotic disposition of the bourbon Democrats, and let them once have access to a number of electors who have escaped to be united by any controlling principle, and hold themselves avowedly open to the approaches and temptations of personal interest, and gone is that little respect for the poor white man's rights and sentiments which the exigencies of the past have extorted and enforced. In other words, when the negro ceases to be a partisan, and learns to vote according as it pays himself best individually, the government of the state will be in the pockets of the rich men. Heretofore, a wonderful magentic tie has bound the freedman to the political party which gave him his liberty and followed that greatest of earthly boons by such other legal guarantees as were essential to its perpetuity and full enjoyment. Based on those noblest affections of the human heart, gratitude and the love of freedom—it was as natural as it was remarkable that persons lately emerging from all the debasements of slavery should have formed a political alliance with their benefactors which made them the grandest body of fearless, faithful, inflexible and incorruptible patriots that have challenged the wondering regard of modern times. Let them once be divorced from those lofty associations; let their political life be disenchanted of that strange spell which came from its first connection in their minds with the high gift of *freedom* and its sacred responsibilities; let that life be conversant with only those suggestions of business and gain which make other of its relations so low and sordid, and we shall find the demoralizing results of a century of servitude cropping out wherever the colored man casts his vote. Is it not enough that the bourbon millionaries of this country first imported the negro here to menace and blight our civilization, and compete with the white laborers' work, to the disaster and ruin of the latter? Is it not enough that they dotted this fair land over with the graves of those who fought and died that the slave owner might retain his lordly ascendency? But must this poor white man yet go further, debase his own manhood, and undermine that public virtue which is *his* last and only safeguard, by endeavoring to seduce the ignorant and credulous colored man from that devotion to principle which is not only his crowning and of which no generous soul could wish to despoil him, but which in its results, gives consequence and influence to the indigent white laborers' views and vote? Ye toiling white men, who labor and sweat—and daily grow poorer, do ye not remember how in the days of slavery every bourbon lordling had his own carpenter, blacksmith and wheelwright, whom he preferred to workman of *your* race? Do you not know that the hardworking, servile and easily swindled tenant of color can have his choice before you of the rich farm lands around you? Will you not see, then, that when by division and so-called independentism, the negro voter is put upon the market, these same proud despots will prefer them for their *political* work? If you do, then your interest and duty are clear. Encourage the colored men to adhere to principle, revive their gratitude for those who raised them from chattels to human beings, and inspire them to believe that it is by standing firm in their old unsullied political integrity that they will retain your respect and protection.

TOO CONSPICUOUS FOR ENJOYMENT.

In its somewhat protracted controversy with the *News Observer* the *Star* enjoys some advantages which are rather exceptional. Chief among these is its opportunity of forcing its adversary to notice its argument. Circulating to a great degree among the same class of readers, the metropolitan champion is in this instance without that refuge which it has found so safe and useful in the past, of ignoring, or professing not to see, that which it finds itself unable to answer. The lordly disdain, the "silent contempt," of "the Maori" of Raleigh journalism of any Sullivan of the dialectic ring, who may be around is the most genuinely mirth-provoking subterfuge which we have noticed in many a day. Why, even such an humble striker from the shoulder as we of the POST has often than once of late been honored by this oblivious scorn. Notably was it elicited on us after that easiest of all targets, our excoriation of its silly mixings of words and ideas in its recent effort to make necessaries of snuff and tobacco and luxuries of shoes and cotton cloths. Considering that this is not a solitary instance in our personal experience, we must confess to a little mischievous gratification at seeing this adversary combatant dragged before the public to make his fight, and not allowed to retire when wounded, under the shield of some favoring mist or cloud, like a goddess-protected hero of Homeric battles.



HON. JOHN A. LOGAN.
SENATOR FROM ILLINOIS.

John A. Logan was born of Irish parentage in Jackson County, Ill., February 9th, 1826. The infrequent sessions of the school in the new settlement where he lived led his father to take upon himself his early education.

Upon the declaration of war between the United States and Mexico, he volunteered; was made Lieutenant of the First Illinois Infantry, and was for a time Adjutant of his regiment, and became Quartermaster. At the close of the war, he studied law with his uncle, Alexander M. Jenkins. In 1849 he was clerk of Jackson County.

Subsequently he completed his legal studies at the Louisville University, and was admitted to the bar in 1852. He was elected to the legislature the same year, and the next as Prosecuting Attorney of the Third Judicial District, and served until 1857; he was elected again to the legislature in 1853, 1856 and 1857. In 1856 was a Presidential elector on the Buchanon and Breckenridge ticket. In 1858 and 1860, he was elected Representative at Congress. He stood with Mr. Douglass for the Union and in July, 1861, he left his seat in the extra session of Congress, and joined the Union troops on their way to the disastrous battle of Bull Run, and was one of the last to leave the field. He then made up his mind to leave Congress and join the army which he did. He was made Colonel of the Thirty-first Illinois Infantry in September, and in November met the Confederates at Belmont, where his horse was shot beneath him during a successful bayonet charge. He led the charge on Fort Donelson, was wounded and compelled to leave the field for several months. He was made Brigadier General of volunteers, and in March, 1862, joined the army of Gen. Grant at Pittsburg landing. During the summer of 1862, he was urged to run for Congress, but replied: "I have entered the field to die if need be for this government, and never expect to return to peaceful pursuits until the object of this war of preservation has become a fact established." His gallantry in General Grant's northern Mississippi movements met with a promotion to the rank of Major-General. At Vicksburg his column led the entrance on June 25th, and on account of his bravery and great executive fability, he was the first Military Governor of Vicksburg. He succeeded Gen. W. T. Sherman at the head of the Fifteenth Army Corps in November, 1863, and when McPherson lost his life, on the 22d of July, 1864, Logan succeeded him and commanded the Army of the Tennessee with the same ability and success which had characterized his command of smaller numbers. He was with Sherman on his "March to the Sea," remaining with him until Johnston's surrender at Hillsboro, N. C., 26th day of April, 1865. President Johnston appointed him Minister to Mexico in 1865, but he declined, and in 1866 he was elected from his old District to the 40th Congress and re elected in 1868, and in 1870 he was elected United States Senate to succeed Hon. Richard Yates, and served from March 4, 1871, to March 4th, 1877. When he went out of the Senate 1877, he resumed the practice of law at Chicago, but the people of Illinois demanded his services and he was re-elected to the Senate in the winter of 1878, took his seat March 4th, 1879, his present term will expire March 4th, 1885.

He has headed every Republican delegation to the National Convention from his state since the war. He is the father of the present agitation for a National educational system, and he offered a bill in the first session of the 47th Congress appropriating some $10,000,000 for educational purposes.

His popularity with the Union soldiers of the country is greater than any man in the United States, very justly so, for he has been at all times watchful of their interest, and has never let an occasion pass to serve them.

His complimentary language in his Fitz John Porter speech in the Senate in 1883, concerning the brave boys who fought in the "gray" has made him thousands of friends in the south.

The manner in which he has at all times stood by the colored men of the south makes him particularly popular with them.

Senator Logan has played a brilliant part in the political history of the United States during the last twenty five years.

His speeches in the House and in the Senate are famous for their impressive power.

His heroism and courage, his eloquence and ability are attributes, of which no one has ever questioned his possession.

CHAUTAUQUA FALLS.

A Southern Man's Report Concerning the Negro—How He Makes His Way in the World.

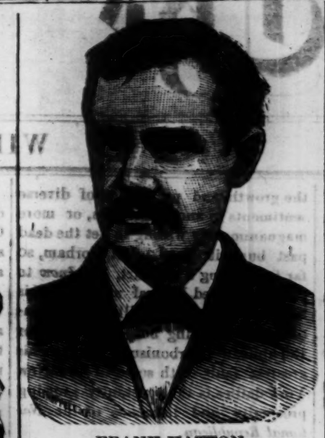
CHAUTAUQUA, N. Y., Aug. 17.—This morning Rev. Alexander Martin, president of Asbury university, Ind., lectured on "Philosophizing as to Education." Rev. Dr. Atticus G. Haygood, of Oxford, Ga., president of Emory college, and also president of the John F. Slater fund, addressed the assembly, taking for his subject, "How He Makes His Way in the World; or a Southern Mans Report Concernig the Negro." In introducing Dr. Haygood Dr. Vincent said that the problems of the war had been settled and men from the two sections now met in fraternal alliance. The Chautauqua platform was a free platform and the speaker was asked to say what he pleased.

Dr. Haygood said he was to speak of seven millions of people now living. All negroes were not alike, there being as much difference between the classes of negroes as between the grades of whites. The census showed that the negroes increased largely; there might be seventy millions a hundred years hence. When God set the negroes free He also set the whites free. There were no infidels among the negroes; they had a simple trust and belief in God, heaven, hell, and the judgment. Negroes did most of the manual labor of the south. The colored brother was in his glory as a preacher. Many of them did much good; some did harm. The negroes' very blunders were pathetic; there was a good deal that bunted philosophy in the negro. There was very little danger of Romanism in the south; the negroes did not believe in the celibacy of preachers. Cartoonists had done much to degrade the negro; without the negro preacher the south would have been much worse than it is. There were a million and a half negroes in the churches, mostly Methodists and Baptists, and their religion was genuine. Negroes must lead and help negroes upward. They had an instinct for doing their own work in their own way. Wisdom did not do anything for a man, but helped him to do it. Of the total school population in the south 17 per cent. were negroes. The race was making great and real progress. Northern papers quoted what wrong-headed southerners say rather than what the right-headed say. The generous north had sent $20,000,000 into the south since the war. John F. Slater lays down a round million. The church in the north had yet to do its work, now hardly begun. The south was unable to do its work. She was greatly changed for the better, and was making a reasonable rate of progress. Prohibition was the hope of the negro. Georgia had local option, and the saloons in fifty-nine counties had been closed.—*National Republican*.

A GOOD HINT PROMPTLY ADOPTED.

Our *astral* neighbor (no suggestion of a pun for the benefit of "The Organ") treated its readers early in last week to an abstract of the funny piece of the funny man of the *New York Times* on the recent discovery of Noah's Ark, safely lodged on Ararat, to the discomfiture of Huxley, Gregg & Co. The pious rein of our stellar contemporary cannot resist an appreciative twinkle, but it never seems to have occurred for a moment that the entire conception was probably suggested even to the original genius of *The Times* by a publication of "Dorsey's Budget" first in the Dana's New York Daily luminary and then among the smaller organs.

It may seem strange, but it is said to be a fact, that there has never been a lynching in Lynchburg.



FRANK HATTON,
FIRST ASSISTANT P. M. GENERAL.

The promotion of Mr. Frank Hatton to the position named in the title was regarded with gratification by the entire newspaper brotherhood of the United States. He has been successful in an arduous profession, and has won his way to national reputation and high office by hard, honest work, courage in the statement of his convictions and good business methods. That he has discharged his duties as First Assistant Postmaster General with superior efficiency, no one can question, and honors which may be in store for him in the future will be conferred with the approval of all who have observed Mr. Hatton's career.

Frank Hatton was born at Cadiz, Ohio, in the year 1845. He began life as a printer, doing his first work in the office of his father. The civil war engaged his services on the Federal side. At sixteen he ran away from school to join the army, when he made application to the unroling officer to enlist, the officer requested him to wait a few minutes. The officer immediately telegraphed the boy's father to know whether he should enlist him or not, and in ten minutes the following reply was received: "Swear him in. Hatton." Although a very young man his record in the army was a very brilliant one.

Upon his return from campaigning he became a local editor on the staff of the newspaper owned by his father, at Cadiz, and afterwards at Mount Pleasant, Iowa. When his father died he became sole proprietor and editor-in-chief of the newspaper on which he had been engaged, and, in 1874, bought a half interest in the Burlington *Hawkeye*. His ownership of the whole property soon followed. Combining proprietorship with the chief editorial position, Mr. Hatton in a short time succeeded in giving the *Hawkeye* great distinction both in state and National politics. The position he now holds is a proper recognition of his ability and faithful services to the community.

When the late Postmaster General Howe died Mr. H. was pressed by the intire southern Republicans for the vacancy. It was well known that he had been in fact filling the position of Postmaster General for many months previous to Mr. Howe's death, and giving satisfaction to the entire public. He is now President of the Republican Publishing Company that owns and publishes the *National Republican* at Washington, D. C., the best and ablest Republican paper in the country.

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Prospectus of the Wilmington, Wrightsville and Ownslow Railroad.

WILMINGTON, N. C., August, 22, 1883.

Believing that the progress, elevation and prosperity of the negro race, depends to a very great extent, upon his assimilation with the great commercial and business interests of the country, and that our destiny is to be wraught in this southern land, hallowed by the blood of our fathers, watered by their tears, and built up by the sweat of their incesent toil. I feel that my feeble effort will not be without its reward.

In the light of a providential dispensation, the negro of the south, so recently emerged from the prison house of boudage, although, no visible prophet to lead them through the *wilderness* of ignorance, poverty, and superstition, yet under the guidance of Him, who marketh the sparrows fall, and shapes destiny of nations, they have kept pace with the progress of the country neumerically, educationaly and financially, (considering the disadvantages under which they labor,) unlike the children of Israel, we did not beg, borrow, nor carry away jewels of gold, ornaments of silver, nor precious stones, belonging to our former master. But released from the shackels of slavery, the negro American citizen went forth unto the world landless, homeless, pennyless, and friendless. But carrying with them the mechanical skill a practical knowledge of the arts and sciences, the genious and thrift acquired of a progresive people, they have in eighteen *years* of freedom advanced in wealth and intelligence, as no people under similar circumstances and disadvantages have done before.

While the colored youths of our country are being educated for the higher walks of life, I find that the avenues to certain vocations are closed against them, not altogether on account of their color, but in part at least because of their condition for just in proportion as we acquire wealth and become interested in the capital of railroads, steam boats, manufacturers, banks and corporation of internal improvement, just in the same proportion will the barrier to our elevation and recognition of our manhood be removed. Fully realizing the great disadvantages under which we the colored people are strugeling to obtain a proper recognition of our claims to a participation in the business industry of the country. We have inaugerated the *movemnt* and obtained charters from the legislature to construct a coast *line* railroad from Wilmington to Jacksonville via Wrightsville Sound. The road is now being graded to Wrightsville and it is the purpose of the Directors to lay the track and put on rolling stock and run trains over the road as soon as the first ten miles are finished, making a depot at Wrightsville Sound. This extensive watering place, with miles of ocean front and all its natural advantages, are destined eventually to make this place as a healthful, pleasant and convenient summer resort, the rival of Cape May and Long Branch.

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I make this brief statement of the prospect, condition and progress of the road and the inducements offered for investment of capital, in order that those who are unfamiliar with the matter may avail themselves of this limited information and if they are favorable to the enterprise they may contribute to its success.

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COMMENCINO Tuesday, November 13th, 1882, trains on this Road will run as follows:

LEAVE RICHMOND—SOUTH

3.16 P M, Fast Mail, daily, makes through connections for Savannah Stops only at Petersburg. Pullman Palace Sleeping Cars between Milford Va and Charleston.

11.51 A M, Through mail daily connecting for Raleigh, Charleston, Augusta, Aiken, Savannah & Jacksonville. Stops at Shops, Chester, Centralia, Drewry's Bluff, on signal. Pullman Sleeper between New York and Charleston on this train.

6.30 H M, Freight daily (except Sunday.

7.20 A M, Freight daily (except Sundays

LEAVE PETERSBTRG—NORTH

3.55 A M, Fast mail, Daily, Stops only at Chester. Pullman Sleepers between Charleston and Milford, Va

7.30 A M, Freight daily, (except Sunday)

3.40 P M, Though mail, daily, connecting Rith Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad for all points east and west Also making connection with Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad for the Virginia Springs and all points north and west. This train stops at Manchester, Chester and Centralia. Pullman sleepers on this train between Charleston and New York,

7.35 P M, Freight daily (except Sunday)

A direct four hours connection is made between Richmond and Norfolk, by trains leaving Richmond 11.30 A m, and Norfolk 12.25 P M

All trains leaving Petersburg will start from the Appomattox Depot.

J R KENLY, Superintendent.
A POPE, G P & T Agent nov 13 tf

NOTICE!

Valuable Lands for Sale

I WILL OFFER FOR SALE AT ROCKY POINT, N. C., on the 17th of September, 1883, 200 acres of as fertile lands as the State affords, lying one mile from Rocky Point, 200 yards of the W. & W. R. R., and 14 miles from Wilmington on the Duplin road. The principal growth on the land is pine, hickory, elm, chinquepin, oak, gum &c; under growth palmetto, rattan, myrtle &c, except about 20 acres of pine woods, and I would say to take it as a body there is not a better piece of land in this state—some subject to overflow.

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Arrive at Baltimore at †12 05 noon and †6 45 p m, and *11 25 p m.

Arrive at Philadelphia at †2 30 p m and †8 10 p m, *3 00 a m.

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QUARANTINE FOR THE PORT OF Wilmington will be enforced from May 1st to November 1st as follows:

Pilots will bring all vessels from ports South of Cape Fear to the Quarantine anchorage; also, all vessels which have had any kind of sickness on board during the passage, or on arrival, and will cause a signal to be set in the main rigging on the port side, as soon as possible after crossing the Bar.

No vessel must leave the Quarantine anchorage, or allow any person, steamer, tug boat, lighter, or boat of any kind to go alongside, unless by written authority from the Quarantine Physician, and every vessel must be anchored as far to the eastward of the channel as is consistent with safety.

Regulations governing vessels while in Quarantine may be had on application at the office of the Quarantine Physician at Smithville.

Applications for permits to visit vessels in Quarantine must be made to Dr. Thomas F. Wood or Dr. Geo. G. Thomas, and permits so obtained will be endorsed by the Quarantine Physician, if in his opinion, it be proper and safe to allow communication with such vessels.

A penalty of $200 for each and every offence will be enforced against any person violating any of the Quarantine Regulations of the Port,

W. G. CURTIS, M. D.
Quarantine Physician, Port of Wilmington.
June 3-tf

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Wilmington & Weldon R. R. Company.

OFFICE GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT, Wilmington, N. C., July 8, 1883.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

ON and after July 8, 1883, at 3:00 p. m. Passengers Train on the W. & W. Railroad will run as follows:

DAY MAIL AND EXPRESS TRAIN
Daily—Nos. 47 North and 48 South

Leave Wilmington, Front Street Depot at	3.40 A M
Arrive at Weldon	12.40 P M
Leave Weldon	2.00 P M
Arrive at Wilmington, Front St. Depot	8.40 P M

FAST THROUGH MAIL AND PASSENGER TRAIN, Daily—No. 40 South.

Leave Weldon	8.55 P M
Arrive at Wilmington, Front Street Depot	10 25 P M

Mail and Passenger Trains, Daily. Nos. 48 North.

Leave Wilmington	8.00 P.M
Arrive at Weldon	2.20 A.M

Train No 40 South will stop only at Wilson, Goldsboro and Magnolia

Trains on Tarboro Branch Road leave Rocky Mount for Tarboro at 12.00 A. M. and 1.30 P M., daily. Returning, leave Tarboro at 10.00 A M and 3 P M daily.

Train on Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Halifax for Scotland Neck at 3.25 P.M. Returning leave Scotland Neck at 7.30 A. M daily except Sunday.

Train No. 47 makes close connection at Weldon for all points North Daily. All rail via Richmond, and daily except Sunday via Bay Line.

Train No. 43 runs daily and makes close connection for all points north via Richmond and Washington.

All trains run solid between Wilmington and Washington, and have Pullman Palace Sleepers attached.

For accommodation of local travel a passenger coach will be attached to local freight leaving Wilmington at 5:15 A. M., Daily except Sundays.

JOHN F. DIVINE,
General Sup't.

T. M. EMERSON Gen'l Passenger Agent.
may 13 tf

OFFICE GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT PETERSBURG RAILROAD COMPANY, PETERSBURG, VA., Aug. 12, 1883.

COMMENCING SUNDAY, MAY 13, 1882, trains on this road will run as follows:

GOING SOUTH.
BOSTON AND SAVANNAH FAST MAIL.

Trains leaving Petersburg (Washington street Depot) as follows:

Passenger trains, daily	12.42 and 5:36 P.M.
Arrive at Weldon	2:42 and 5:36 P.M.
Freight trains daily, except Sunday	9.12 A. M.
Arrive at Weldon	2:06 P. M.

LEAVE WELDON.

Passenger Trains, daily	2:25 A. M., 1 P M.
Arrive at Petersburg	4:45 A.M. 3:12 P.M
Freight trains daily, except Monday	4.12 A.M
Arrive at Petersburg	9.06 A.M.

Train leaving Petersburg at 3:46 P. M. stops only at Bellfield.

Sleeping cars and first class coaches on night and day trains.

No change of cars between Wilmington and Washington.

Through tickets sold to all Eastern and Northern, Southern points and baggage checked through.

Passengers going south will purchase tickets and check baggage at Washington street depot.

Passengers going north and stopping at Petersburg, will claim their baggage at Washington street depot.

Freight trains on this road are intended exclusively for freight, and no provision is made on them for the comfort and convenience of passengers. Persons who travel on these trains are specially notified that they are liable to delays, inconveniences and risks not incident to passenger trains.

Agents are not required to open their offices for the sale of tickets for freight trains North bound freight trains stop all night at Mt Airy, and all passengers will be discharged at that point.

R. M. SULLY, Gen'l Supt.
W. J. BROWN, Dispatcher of Trains.
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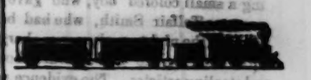

WILMINGTON, N. C. July 8, 1883.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE

ON AND AFTER July 8, 1883, at 9 P. M., the following Passenger Schedule will be run on this road:

NIGHT EXPRESS TRAIN (Daily)
Nos. 48 West and 47 East.

Leave Wilmington	9.00 P M
Leave Florence	2.40 A M
Arrive at C. C. & A. Junction	5.20 A. M
Arrive at Columbia	6.40 A. M
Leave Columbia	9.55 P. M
Leave C. C. & A. Junction	10 20 P. M
Leave Florence at	1.55 A. M
Arrive at Wilmington	6.10 A M

Night Mail and Passenger train, Daily, No 40 West,

Leave Wilmington	10.40 P. M
Arrive at Florence	1.45 A. M

Mail and Passenger Train, Daily—No. 43 East.

Leave Florence	3.25 P. M
Arrive at Wilmington	7.42 P M

Train 43 stops at all stations.

Nos. 40 stops only at Flemington, and Marion.

Passengers for Columbia, and all points on C. & C. R. R., C., C. & A. R. R. Stations, Aiken Junction, and all points beyond, should take No. 48 Night Express.

Pullman Sleepers for Charleston on train 48.

All trains run solid between Charleston and Wilmington.

Local Freight leaves Wilmington daily except Sunday at 7 A. M.

JOHN F. DIVINE,
General Sup't.

T. M. EMERSON, Gen'l Passenger Agent.
may 13-tf

Carolina Central Railroad Company.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT WILMINGTON, N. C., July, 13, 1883.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

ON and after June 9, 1883, the following Schedule will be operated on this Railroad:

PASSENGER, MAIL AND EXPRESS TRAIN: DAILY.

No. 1	Leave Wilmington	7.10 P M
	Leave Raleigh at	7.35 P M
	Arrive at Charlotte at	7.00 A M
No. 2	Leave Charlotte at	8.45 P M
	Arrive Raleigh at	8.30 A M
	Arrive at Wilmington at	8.25 A M

Passenger Trains stop at regular stations only, and points designated in the Company's Time Table.
Train No. 1. Daily except Sunday.
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SHELBY DIVISION, PASSENGER, MAIL, EXPRESS AND FREIGHT.

Daily except Sundays.

Leave Charlotte	5.30 A. M
Arrive at Shelby	2.00 P. M
Leave Shelby	7.00 A. M
Arrive at Charlotte	10.30 A. M

Trains No. 1 and 2 makes close connection at Hamlet with R & A Trains to and from Raleigh, and at Charlotte with Shelby Division Train.

Through Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Charlotte and Raleigh and Charlotte.

Take Train No. 1 for Statesville, Stations Western N. C. R. R. Asheville and points West.

Also, for Spartanburg, Greenville, Athens Atlanta and all points South west.

L. C. JONES,
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F. W. CLARK, General Passenger Agent.
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THE WILMINGTON POST.

W. P. CANADAY, Proprietor.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

FRIDAY MORNING, AUGUST 24, 1883

Charged with Larceny.

In the Mayor's Court Tuesday morning a small colored boy, who gave his name as Telfair Smith, who had been arrested the night previous, was charged with entering the new market house and stealing articles. The evidence was such as to show probable cause for binding him over, and he was therefore required to give bond in the sum of $50 for his appearance at court, failing in which he was sent to the "Murray House.

Box Factory.

Mr. J. W. Taylor has in connection with his mill a box factory, in which boxes of all kinds are constructed, nearly all the work being done by machinery. The material boards from the sycamore tree, are cut by Mr. Taylor's floating saw mill, some twenty-five miles up the river. He is also making shoe lasts in the rough, which are sent to Albany, N. Y., to be put in shape.

Enticing Sailors,

Mary Williamson, keeper of a sailor boarding house on North Water street, was before a magistrate on Tuesday last, charged with enticing a sailor to desert his vessel. She was found guilty and required to pay a fine of $5 and the costs, from which judgment she appealed to the Criminal Court. She gave the necessary bond for her appearance and was discharged.

Rev. F. H. Wood, of the Front Street Methodist Church, has gone to All Healing Springs.

Edward Eagan, being in a sick and destitute condition, was sent to the City Hospital Monday.

Jno. D. Lynch, the abductor of a white girl at Sumter. S. C., who was in jail here for a week or so, had an examination a few days ago and was ordered to give bond in $1,000 for his appearance at court, failing in which he was locked up.

A white man named Bontwell, with a touch of deliriam tremens, made things lively on the streets Sunday night, for awhile. He was carried to his boarding house on Second street, but soon jumped out of a second story window, when he was taken to the guard house.

U. S. Commissioner Geo. B. Loring was invited to the Fair of the Fruit Grower's Association, but could not attend.

A cantaloupe was on exhibition a few days ago, from the plantation of Dr. J. D. Bellamy, in Brunswick, weighing 18½ pounds.

The British Barque George Davis, for whose safety some apprehension was felt, as she was overdue from Glasgow, arrived as Smithville on Friday last and proceeded to Savannah.

A novel entitled "Pauline, or the Girl of Piney Dell," is the production of a Pender county lady, and is said to be meeting with considerable success.

Isaac Baker, one of the "twin brothers," was sent to jail a few days ago for failure to pay costs in a case tried before a magistrate. William Collison was locked up for neglect of duty.

An attempt was made a few nights ago to burglarize the residence of Mrs. L. A. Hart. The thieves carried off a favorite "purp."

Cows, pigs and goats have the upper hand of the city authorities and roam the streets at their will.

TELEGRAPH BREVITIES

The Rolling Stock Company's Shops at Chicago were burned Thursday night last. Loss $500,000.

A cyclone struck Chattanooga, Tennessee, on Wednesday evening last, and uncovered a number of houses.

Ordinary cholera (not the Asiatic) has appeared at Flushing, Holland.

Yellow fever is infesting Cuban ports. One death is reported at Pensacola, Florida, from the terrible disease.

A passenger train on the Air-Line road between Charlotte and Atlanta collided on Friday last, killing the fireman, W. S. Farris, and badly damaging the engines and mail car.

Perry Coley, colored, was hung at Greenville, S. C., on Friday last, for the murder of Perry Anderson, colored.

Massachusetts Democratic State Convention meets September 26th.

There was a $100,000 fire at Crawford, Miss., Saturday night.

The cotton crop in South Carolina has been greatly injured by drought.

Judge Jeremiah S. Black died at 2 o'clock on the morning of the 19th inst.

The telegraph strike has ended.

A cyclone at Oglesby, Texas, a few days ago demolished the station house and store and scattered goods all over the prairie. A man was blown a distance of one hundred feet.

A young man named Harris was struck by lightning and killed at Prosser Grove, Correll county, Texas.

A young man from Philadelphia attempted to shoot and kill his father on a train at Portsmouth, Va., on Tuesday. The father says the trouble grew out of the dissipation of his son whose name is A. M. Sydes. D. Sydes, the father, is dangerously wounded.

The daughter of Col Jas O Churchill, of St Louis, was abducted from her home on Sunday last, and has not since been heard of.

Hanlon was beater in a boat race at Fall River, Mass. There were 13 starters.

Thirty miners were killed by an explosion in a colliery near Cardiff, Wales, on Monday last.

A cyclone at Bochester, Minn., Tuesday night, wrecked the town and killed forty persons. A passenger train on the Rochester and Northern Railroad was blown from the track and some hundred persons killed and wounded.

A misplaced rail on the Memphis and Little Rock Railroad caused two second-class passenger coaches and the baggage express car to go through a trestle Tuesday night, killing three passengers and injuring others.

The Empire Oil Works at Long Island City were destroyed by fire Wednesday morning. Damage $500,000. No insurance.

The annual session of the American Bar Association commenced at Saratoga Wednesday.

Two cases of yellow fever have been discovered in Pensacola, Florida, and one new case at the navy yard. Dr. Owens will die.

Call for a Colored State Convention.

To the colored men of North Carolina:

Believing it to be to the best interest of our race that this state should be represented at the proposed National Colored Convention, which is to meet in Louisville, Ky., September 24th, 1883, and her voice heard on the great and important questions that will come before it for caused eration, and knowing that we have good and able men well capacitated for such duties, and who will stand by the right, we the undersigned do hereby call a State Convention to meet in the city of Baleigh on Wednesday, September 5th, 1883, for the purpose of choosing twenty-two delegates and as many alternates to represent the state at said national gathering, and formulate such expressions as we may think conducive of the most good to the race. Each county will be entitled to twice as many votes as it has representatives in the State General Assembly. All the leading colored men of the state, however, are invited and it is hoped they will be present.

CALLERS.—Geo. W. Lane, Chowan county; W. C. Smith, Mecklenburg county; W. C. Coleman, Cabarrus county; M. R. Alexander, Cabarrus county; Edward Moore, Wilson county; Jno. C. Dancy, Edgecombe county; Alfred Lloyd, Pender county: J. T. Reynolds, Halifax: J. H Camron, Halifax; Geo H White, Craven county; A S Richardson, Rowan county; J B Abott, Craven county; W. H. Quick, Richmond county; Geo L. Mabson, New Hanover; Geo. W. Price, New Hanover.

State papers will please publish this call and oblige the colored people.

Pender County.

Why complain because the indications are, that the government will interpose in behalf of the educational improvement of the negro? Did not the Democrats by their own act compel it? Have they not legislated the negro out of his chances for education, unless he can educate his children without state assistance? They certainly say to the negro, thus far and no farther shall you go in the education of your child, when they say each race shall pay for the education of its own children, after the little which is now discriminately allowed, is used. Now Mr. Editor, who pays the tax? Does the farmer or owner of the lands pay it? not at all—what would his farm be without labor? a mere howling waste, fit haunts for beasts and birds of prey. In a short time it would seem as though the foot of industry had never trod upon it. Labor is wealth, is power, it is the living animated soul of every blessing and comfort which distinguishes the civilized from the rude and savage mode and condition of life. You Democrats have invoked the storm now control it if you can. Let the government, yes, let the Federal government come to her rescue. The negro is here, not by his own consent; he was used successfully as a slave from 1620 to 1865, he was freed by Democratic folly. The union man opposed the war, yes the southern man did, first because it would imperil the existence of the government; second, because it would free the negro; but now they are free let us all unite in the one great and common cause of educating, improving and making him a good citizen. As southern men it is our duty to do so, and if by unjust and discriminative legislation he has to be robbed of state assistance, let the Federal government throw her mantle of protection over the race that they may become stronger and more elevated, rather than weaker and more degraded.

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WILMINGTON MARKETS.

August 9.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market opened firm at 37½ cents per gallon, with sales reported later of 550 casks at that price.

ROSIN.—Quoted steady at $1 20 for Strained and $1 30 for Good Strained. Sales reported later of 1500 bbls Strained at quotations.

TAR—Quoted firm $1 80 per bbl. of $280 lbs, with sales of receipts at quotations.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market steady with sales of receipts at $1 25 for Hard and $2 25 for Yellow Dip and Virgin.

COTTON.—Quoted firm, on a basis of 9¼ cents per lb. for Middling, with no sales reported. The following were official quotations:

Ordinary,	6 11-16	cts ₱ lb
Good Ordinary,	7 15-16	" "
Low Middling,	9¼	" "
Middling,	9¼	" "
Good Middling.	10	" "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton,	630 bales
Spirits Turpentine,	163 casks
Rosin,	1945 bbls
Tar,	33 bbls
Crude Turpentine.	283 bbls

August 10.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market was firm at 38 cents per gallon, with sales reported later of 500 casks at 38 cents.

ROSIN.—The market was steady at $1 20 for Strained and $1 60 for Good Strained. We hear of sales at quotions.

TAR—The market was quoted firm at $1 80 per bbl of 280 lbs, with sales of receipts that figure.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market steady with sales of receipts at $1 25 for Hard and $2.25 for Soft and Virgin.

COTTON—Market quoted firm. Sales on a basis of 9¼ cents for Middling.—The following were the official quotations:

Ordinary,	6 11-16	cts ₱ lb
Good Ordinary	7 15-16	" "
Low Middling,	9¼	" "
Middling,	9¼	" "
Good Middling.	10	" "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton,	719 bales
Spirits Turpentine	157 casks
Rosin,	4381 bbls
Tar,	231 bbls
Crude Turpentine.	00 bbls

August 11.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market quoted firm at 38 cents per gallon, with sales reported later of 150 casks at 38 cents.

ROSIN—The market was quoted firm at $1 20 for Strained, and $1 30 for Good Strained. With sales at quotations.

TAR—The market was steady at $1 80 per bbl of 280 lbs, with sales of receipts at quotations.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market steady with sales of receipts at $2 25 for Soft and Virgin and $1 25 for hard.

COTTON—Quoted quiet. Sales on a basis of 9¼ cents for middling. The following were the official quotations of the day:

Ordinary,	6 10-16	cts ₱ lb
Good Ordinary,	7 11-16	" "
Low Middling,	9¼	" "
Middling,	9¼	" "
Good Middling.	10	" "

August 13.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market was quoted dll at 37½ cents per gallon, with sales of 300 casks at 37 cents.

ROSIN—The market was firm at $1 20 for Strained, and $1 30 per bbl for Good Strained, with sales at quotations.

TAR—Market firm at $1 80 per bbl of 280 lbs, with sales of receipts at quotations.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm Sales of receipts at $1.25 for Hard and $2.25 for Soft and Virgin.

COTTON—Market quoted steady with sales on a basis of 9¼ cts for Middling. The following were the official quotations:

Ordinary,	6 11-16	cts ₱ lb
Good Ordinary,	7 15-16	" "
Low Middling,	9¼	" "
Middling	9¼	" "
Good Middling.	10	" "

August 14.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market quoted dull at 37 cts per gallon, but later at reaction took place and 350 casks sold at 37½ cents.

ROSIN—The market was steady at $1,20 for Strained, and $1 30 for Good Strained. Sales as reported.

TAR.—Market firm at $1 80 per bbl of 280 lbs, with sales of receipts at that figure.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market steady with sales of receipts at $1.25 for Hard and $2.25 for Soft and Virgin, with sales of receipts at that price.

COTTON.—Market steady, with sales reported on a basis of 9¼ cents for Middling. The following were the official quotations:

Ordinary,	6 11-16	cts ₱ lb
Good Ordinary,	7 15-16	" "
Low Middling	9¼	" "
Middling.	9¼	" "
Good Middling	10	" "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton	447 bales
Spirits Turpentine	76 casks
Rosin	831 bbls
Tar,	70 bbls
Crude Turpentine	225 bbls

August 15.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—The market quoted firm at 37 cents per gallon, with sales reported of 250 casks at 37½ cents.

ROSIN—The market firm at $1 20 for Strained, and $1 30 per bbl for Good Strained. Sales as reported.

TAR—Market firm at $1 80 per bbl of 280 lbs, with sales of receipts at that figure.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm. Sales of receips at $1 25 for Hard and $2 25 for Soft and Virgin.

COTTON—Market quiet with sales on a basis of 9¼ cents for Middling. The following were the official quotations:

Ordinary.	—	cts ₱ lb
Good Ordinary	8 9-16	" "
Low Middling,	9¼	" "
Middling,	9¼	" "
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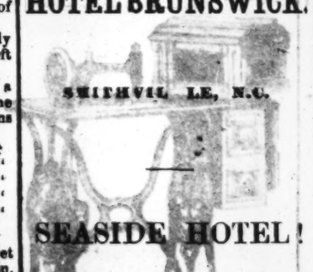

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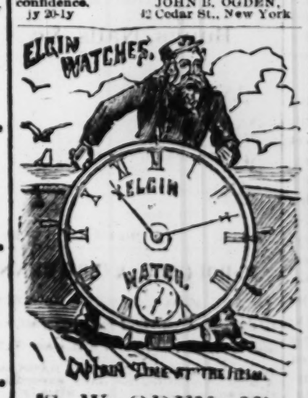

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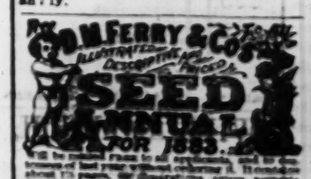

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